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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Chement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOYOH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMURL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, Cannon Street, H.O. ROBERT WATSON,

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N. Maalen & Co. Limited Foochore, Hapar & Co. Shanghai, Lanz, Oraw- Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed PORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSE. Fileshame, LANK, CHAWFORD & Co., and Kking & Co.

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of the late Mr. THOMAS EDMUND DAVIES in our Firm CEASED on the 31st December last,

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1893.

Banks.

TT ONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND \$ 3,500,000. RESERVE LIMELLITY OF \$10,000,000.

PROPRIETORS COURT OF DIRECTORS :-H. Hoppius, Esq. - Chairman. C. J. Holliday, Eng. - Deputy Chairman. Hon, James J. Bell | J. S. Lapraik, Esq. J. S Moses, Kaq. Irving. Carl Jantzen, Esq. D. R. Sassovu, Esq. Julius Kramer, Esq. Gerald Slade, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER; Hongkong-F. DE Bovis, Esq. MANAGER : Shanghai-J. P. WADE GARDNER, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY

BANKING Co. LD. HONGHONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate-of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits .-

For 6 months 32 per cent, per annurs. o on sums in excess of \$200,000.

F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager. Hougkong, February 27, 1893. 1435

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

FITHE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA- ceiving the Report of the General Managers, TION. Rules may be obtained on application.

31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option bulances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed or FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per For the Hongkong and Shanghai

Banking Corporation, I', DE BOVIS, Chief Manager, Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LIMITED. CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & OHINA.

Authorised Capital,....£1,500,000. Suscribed,....£1,125,000.

Bankers. LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, L'TD. Interest allowed on Current Accounts at

the Rate of 2 % per Annum on the Daily Balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS !-For 12 Months 5 % For 6 Months, & For 3 Months,..... 3 %

JOHN THURBURA der, Hongkong. Hongkong, February 4, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,....£ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE - HONGKONG.

Directors. D. GILLIES, Esq. Chow Tung Shang, Chan Kir Shan, Esq. Esq. C. J. Hirst, Esq. W. Wotton, Esq. KWAN HOI CHUBN, Esq. Chief Manager. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches. LONDON, YOKOHAMA, SHANCHAI, AMOY AND FOOCHOW.

Bankers THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND. PARE'S BANKING COY. and THE ALLIANCE

BANK (LU.) Interest for 12 months Fixed 6 %.

do. 4 %. do. 100 do. 3 %. Current Accounts Hongkong, January 7, 1893.

Banks.

HE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED. Subscribed Capital, ... £2,000,000.

CAPITAL CALLED UP 251,093, 15.0.

Board of Directors. WM. KESWICK, Esq., Chairman, Adolf von André, Esq. | F. D. Sassoon, Esq.

Hongkong Committee. The Hon'ble O. P. CHATER. The Hon'ble J. J. BELL-IRVING.

H. Hoprius, Eaq. 3. PRINCES STREET, LONDON.

BOMBAY, CALDUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAL. PERANG, SINCAPORE AND YOKOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST.

Deposits, can be asceitained on application. CHANTREY INCHBALD Mimager.

Homekong, February 7, 1893.

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OHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED. -- NOTIOE.

'That the Capital of the Company be raised to \$2,000,000 by the issue of and upon such terms and conditions as to calle or otherwise howsoever, as the General Agents and Consulting Committee shall think fit, and that the figures 1,500 be eliminated from Article 59 of the Company's Articles of Association and the figures 2,000 substituted therefor, and that the Special Resulttions of March, 1887, and everything done thereunder be hereby passed and

confirmed.' JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, March 2, 1893.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held at the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on THURS-DAY, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially A

Hongkong, March 10, 1893. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Ninth Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Contrai, on MUNDAY, 20th March, 1-93, 4+ 12.30 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of redeclaring a Dividend, and electing a Cousulting Committee and Auditors. The Transfer BOOKH of the Company INTEREST on deposits is allowed at | will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 20th | Steamers. March, both days inclusive,

SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, February 28, 1893.

NOTICE. OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL STEAM-

SEIP COMPANY. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY.

TINTIL further Notice. FIRST CABIN PASSAGES RITES by these Companies' STEAMERS will be as follow :-To San Francisco, Portland, Victoria, Vancouver ...

To Ohicago To New York
To Liverpool and London... To Paris \$400 to \$418 To Hamburg ... To Bremen.

...\$400 to \$405 J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

Hongkong, March 6, 1893,

BOOKS FOR THE STUDY OF CHINESE.

How to Write Chinese How to Write the Radicals ... English Cantonese Pocket Vo-Cabulary... Cantonese Made Easy Vocabu-1.00 Select Phrases in the Canton Dialect, by Rev. Dr. Kerr Chalmers' Cantonese-English Die-Notes on the Chinese Documentary Style, by Dr. Hirth 1.50 Dr. Hirth's T xt Book of Documentary Chinese, 2 vols. ... 4.00 Wade's Tzu Erh Chi, Colloquial, 3 vols. 15.00 Watters' Essays on the Chinese Lan-

Giles' Chinese without a Teacher ... 1.00 Fosters' Elementary Lessons in Chinese ... 141 1... L00 Eitels' Chinese Dictionary, complete, with Supplement 11.75 Dr. Chalmers on the Structure of Chi-

NOW READY. COMPLETE IN 3 PARTS, PRICE 835. A CHINESE ENGLISH DICTIONARY,

HERBERT A. GILES. H. B. M. Consular Service. KELLY & WALSH, LTD. Business Notices.

CINGLE STICKS AND MASKS.

NEW VENTILATED BOXING GLOVES. FOOTBALLS, DUMB BELLS, QUOITS BICYCLES.

FENCING FOILS AND MASKS

"HARTS' SQUEEZERS" PLAYING CARDS, CHESS BACKGAMMON, DRAUGHTS, DOMINOES, DICE AND CUPS, DRAUGHT AND CHESS BOARDS.

CRICKETING SUNDRIES. BILLIARD CUES :- A Good Assortment of Plain-ash, Balauced Handles and Champion. BILLIARD BALLS, CUE TIPS, CEMENT: POCKETS, OLOTH, RESTS, CHALK, CUE-TIP-FASTENERS, SPOTS, BRUSHES, &c. A COMBINATION BILLIARD AND DINING TABLE.

SALOUN and ROUK RIFLES, MATCH RIFLES, COLTS' REPEATING CARBINES, WINCHESTER MAGAZINE CARBINES. HAMMERLESS FOWLING PIECES IN CASES, COMPLETE. SMITH & WESSON'S REVOLVERS, 'BULL DOG' REVOLVERS, COLTS' REVOLVERS. SADDLERY and STABLE REQUISITES.

LANE. CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1893

THE MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Telegraphic address 1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

A. B. C. Code. TELEPHONE FITARIFF FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1892, UNTIL APRIL 30TH, 1893, HUBJECT TO 370 ACCOMMODATION BEING AVAILABLE. CHILDREN BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT. Agents, Pedder's Street, at Noon, on Sitting-room by the Day. \$ 2.50 Tiffin SATURDAY, the 18th March, to Confirm Sitting-room by the Month 30.00 Dinner \$ 1.00 the following Resolution passed at the Extra Bed-room by the Day 2.00 European Servants by the Month traordinary General Ma-ting held This Extra Bed-room by the Month ... 20.00 European Servants by the Month Bed and Breakfast... ... (Bedroom extra)... ... 20.00

Breakfast 0.75 Chinese Servants by the Day ... TRAMWAY TICKETS will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at 5,000 New Shares of \$100 cach, to be reduced rates — For further Particulars apply at the Company's Office, 33 and 40, issued at such price, to such parties Queen's Road Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL. Hongkong, October 7, 1892.

THEIR SPRING STOCK OF HOUSEHOLD LINENS

SHEETINGS. COUNTERPANES, TABLE CLOTHS, NAPKINS,

W. POWELL & Co.

ROBERT LANG

LARGE SELECTION OF WHITE AND STRIPE FLANNELS

SERGES. TROPICAL TWEEDS, HOMESPUNS AND COATINGS, TERAI HATS (ALL COLORS) AND SUN HATS. BOUTS AND SHOES. WATERPROOF COATS AND ITS MBRELLAS.

HCNGKONG

"Kremlin" - A. B. C. Code.

Bongkong, March 11, 1893,

THE MOST COMMODIOUS and BEST-APPOINTED HOTEL in the Far East; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, and adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony). The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and haggage to and from all Mail

The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy. The BED-ROOMS, with adjoining BATH-ROOMS, are loky and well ventilated, open General Managare on to specious Veraudahs, are lighted by gas and fixed throughout with electric communicators. The READING, WRITING, and SMOKING ROOMS, Labres' DRAWING ROOMS, the New BAR and Public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience. A GRILL ROOM, where chops, stenks, &c., are served at any hour, adjoins the

WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST BRANDS only. HYDRAULIC ASCENDING-ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entranco Hall to each of the five floors above. NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892,

JUST RECEIVED.

MILLINERY,

THE DRESS MAKING & MILLINERY DEPTS.

are under experienced Management.

CHARGES MODERATE.

Cantoness Made Easy ... A. 3.00 Hongkong Trading Co. 0 1, 3, 5 & 7, D'AGUILAR STREET.

> WINDSOR HOTEL (in Connaught Buildings), QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.

10 THE Private Hotel heretofore partied on in WINDSOR HOUSE has now been Removed to CONNAUGHT HOUSE. Cuisine under European management. Each Bed-room has its own Bath-room. to all Floors.

Charges from 82 per day upwarda Special Rates for Families or Pormanent Boarders. Offices and Rooms to let Unfurnished, and Rooms with or without Board, by day or month. Apply at the Office, No. 37, 3rd Floor. Hongkong, August 23, 1892.

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE 'GLENKALY BUILDINGS,' (Nos. 12 and 14, Wyndham Street.) MRS. GILLANDERS has VACANCIES

1 for RESIDENT BOARDERS and VISITORS also Accommodation for TABLE BOARDERS. Hongkong, July 4, 1892.

Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1892. MONTRIBUTORS to the above Office

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE.

LIMITED.

R. TUCKER, Manager.

are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a Last of their Contributions for the year ending Sist December, 1892, Hot and Cold water. Passenger Elevator in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the SIST DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, will be adjusted by the Office, and no Claims or Alterations will be subsequently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE MARS. FALCONER has VACANOIRS IVI for Resident BOARDERS, at Kowloon, Victoria View. Hongkong, March 4, 1893.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

OURSUANT to a Decree of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, Original Juris-diction, made in Suit No. 78 of 1892, wherein Tang Yung May by his guardian and next friend, Tang Chang Shi is Plaintiff, and Bauce Sherners, Administrator of the Estate of TANG A LOK, Deceased, and Tang Tune Shang are Defendants, the Creditors of the said Tano A Lou, late of 104, Hollywood Road, Victoria, Hongkong, Contractor, who died on or about the 3rd day of June, 1887; are on or before the 31sr DAY or MARCH, 1893, to send by post prepaid to Mesers. Wotton & DEACON, No. 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong, the Solicitors for the Defendant, BRUCE SHEP-HERD, the Administrator of the Estate of the said TANG A. Lox, Deceased, their Ohristian and Surnames, Addresses and Descriptions; the full Particulars of their Claims, a Statement of their Accounts, and the nature of the Securities, if any held by them or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of

the said Decree. Every CERDITOR holding any Security is to produce the same before the REGISTRAN at the Supreme ourt, Victoria aforesaid, on WEONESDAY, the Fifth day of April, 1893, at Eleven o'Cluck in the Forencon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the Claims.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1893. BRUCE SHEPHERD, Acting Registrar.

NOTICE.

THE following will be the RATES of PASSAGE MONEY by the Undernoted Lines until further Noticed :-From Hangkong to 1st Saloon, 2nd Saloon. London \$250 Plymouth

Southampton Marseilles Brindisi Genoa Naples.....

Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent, Messageries Maritimes Co. MELCHERS & Co., Agents, North German Lloyds S.S. Co.

H. H. JOSEPH,

For Sale.

FOR SALE. THE GOOD S.S. PEKIN and S.S.

Hougkong, March 6, 1893.

KWONG-MO. For Particulars, apply to SUI KEE CHAN,

To Let.

53, Bonham Strand West. Hongkong, November 14, 1892. 1999.

HONGKO G HOTEL Co., LD. NOTICE.

ROOMS TO LET. LIOR OFFICES and/or CHAMBERS on the Ground and First Floors of the HOTEL, facing QUEEN'S ROAD and PEDDER STREET. With immediate entry if required.

For Particulars, apply to R. LYALL, Hongkong, December 8, 1892.

1.0 LET,-From May next.-HERMI TAGE, CAINE ROAD-FURNISHED. Rent moderate. For Particulars, apply to

R. C. WILCOX. 70, Queen's Road t'entral. Hongkong, March 6, 1893. TO LET.

A10. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD (lately occupied by ATACK). No. 49, POTTINGER STREET. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, February 9, 1893.

TO LET. FFICES-1sr and 2ND FLOORS of No. 4. Queen's Road Central, over the BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN & STRAITS, LTD. Nos. 11 and 12, COOMBE ROYAL-a Large FURNISHED HOUSE at MAGAZINE GAP.

No. 10, OLD BAILEY. No. 7, PRAYA CENTRAL, at present occupied by the NEW ORIENTAL BANK IN LIQUIDATION. New HOUSES in RIPON TERRACE, Bonham Road, near Breezy Point. New HOUSES in Eigen STREET, PEEL

STREET and STAUNTON STREET. No. 4, BLUE BUILDINGS. FLOORS in BLUE BUILDINGS. OFFICES-SECOND FLOOR, Prays Central (lately occupied by Mesers. DUNN, MELBYE & Co)

GODOWN, No. 1A, BLUE BUILDINGS.

SEMI-DETACHED HOUS AS, at MAGIZINE GAP. Very cheap rental. Nos. 21 and 23, CAINE ROAD. No. 5, VICTORIA VIEW, KOWLOON. GROUND FLOORS, No. 5, SHELLEY NORMAN COTTAGE in ALBANY ROAD.

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

TO LET. NTO. 8, KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOWLOOM

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD.

Hongkong, March 7, 1893. TO LET. NTO. 2, PRODER'S STEER, next to the

Post Office-suitable for OFFICES or OHAMBERS Apply to G. C. ANDERSON,

13, Praya Central. Hongkong, March 1, 1893.

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION

TTALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

Situate at Victoria, Hongkong, TO BE SOLD BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGER

THURSDAY. the 23rd day of March, 1893, at 3 o'clock

in the Afternoon, at the Premises,-ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND being all that portion of Section F of In-land Lot No. 11 and registered in the Land OFFICE #8 SUB-SECTION 1 OF SEC-TION F OF INLAND LOT NO. 11, logether with the MESSUAGES thereon known as Nos. 8 and 10 Toxo Sming LANE, Victoria aforesnid, For further Particulars and Conditions

of Sale, apply to CilAS. D. WILKINSON, Solicitor:

GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hougkong, March 10, 1893.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

West, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port at Daylight TO-MORROW, the 12th Instant. For Freight or Passago, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongk ng, March 11, 1893. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. Radnorshire,
Capt. F. Davies, B.N.B.
will be despatched The Steamship above on MONDAY, the 13th Instant, at Noon; instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, Morch 11, 1898.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA. The Steamship Catherine Apear,
Captain J. G. OLIFENT,
will be despatched for

the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 14th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVIO SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 9, 1893. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. FOR TAKOW (DIRECT.) The Co, a Steamship

will be despatched for the above Port on WED-NESDAY, the 15th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GEO. R. STEVENS. Agent Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Riversdale. Captain Prox, will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 16th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Verona,
Capt. F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on FRI-DAY, the 17th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 6, 1893. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE.

H. H. JOSEPH.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship Nürnberg, Captain B. BLAKKE, will leave for the above Ports

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

on or about FRIDAY, the 17th Instant.

For further Particulars, apply to

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM TO SHANGHAL

The Co.'s Steamship Sachsen. Captain H. SUPMER, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.

For further Particulars, apply to MELOHERS & Co., Hongkong, March 10, 1893.

Shipping.

Steamers. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Williams, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates

NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, March 8, 1893.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSIAN STEAM NAVIGATION

IN THE EAST. FOR NAGASAKI & WLADIVOSTOOK, With leave to call at SHANGHAI and CHEFOO and to tranship WLADIVOSTOCK Cargo at NAGASARI or SHANGHAI into other of the Company's Steamers.

Steamship will be The Co.'s Chartered will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 16th

For Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, March 6, 1893.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers.) (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER. DAM, LIBBON, OPORTO, LONDON,

LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN.)

The Steamship Captain L. Mansen, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 17th Inst., at This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1893. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Jackson, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFLELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 4, 1893. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE The Steamship Kingsland

will be despatched as above on or about the 17th Instant. For Freight, apply to JOHN ANDREW,

Hengkong, March 7, 1893. 466 STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY. (Calling at OCLOMBO, if sufficient inducations offers.

Agent, 5, Duddell Street.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steameltip Capt. F. N. TILLARD, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY. the 18th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, March 10, 1893. THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM

For Freight, apply to

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL The Co,'s Steamship

J. Gray, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 21st Instant. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON. VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

Hongkong, March 9, 1893.

and Stewardess.

Glenavon. be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 22nd This Steamer has superior Accommodation for Passengers, and carries a Doctor

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hougkong, February 21, 1893.

Sailing Vessels.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. British Ship Celtic Chief. Owen, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, February 20, 1893.

Fer Malya, for Hougkong : from Naples,

Mr and Mrs Friedie Lewis, and Mr John

Lowis ; from Ismailia, Mr.E. Boesch ; from

Brindisi, Major-General Molyneux, Mr and

Miss Molyneux; from Bombay, Mr. St. J

Browne, Rev. and Mrs C. Shaw and 3

children, Rev. W. Musson, Mrs H. E. Wode-

house, child and nurse. Mr Wodehouse,

Mr and Miss Asser, Mc and Mrs Kilbreth,

Miss Kilbreth, Mr and Mrs J. M. Holmes

from Colombo, Mr and Mrs Paine; from

Singapore, Lord Dormer, Mr E. H. Derrick;

Mr Savill Smith's Lyric Co., and Miss

Harring on. For Shanghai : from London,

diei, Rev. E. Williams, and Mr Castle

Entertainment.

BOXING TOURNAMENT. Boxing Tournament will be held

THIS (Saturday) EVENING, at the Kowloon Horer, to Commence at 9 p.m. Competitors: RYAN. BROWN, WILSON, THOMAS, GOWANS, WALKER, BECKETT.

WARE, ND AR UNKNOWN. Admission Hongkong, March 11, 1893.

Notices to Consignees.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LIVERPOOL & SINGAPORE.

MHE Company's S.S. Chinguo having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Gonds are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN CO., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 18th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the 11th Instant. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 13th Instant will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., A gents.

Hongkong, March 7, 1893. STEAMSHIP NATAL.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre ex Steamship Tamise, and from Bordeaux ex Steamships Nantes, Bordeaux, Pt. Leroy Lallier and Cacique, in connection with the above Steamer. are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables -- are being landed and stored at their risk at the Hongkong & Kowloon WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless Intimation is received from the Consigness before Noon To-DAY (Thursday), the 9th Instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

Goods remaining anclaimed after Thurs-DAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined

on THURSDAY, the 16th Institut, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effects a. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkeng, March 9, 1893.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. RADNORSHIRE,

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before Noon No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th Instant will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 16th Inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th Inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkeng, March 9, 1893.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Glenogle having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongrong and Kow-LOOK WHARF AND GODOWN Co., LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 12th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present al. Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 19th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, March 6, 1893.

To-day's Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the Matter of GEORGE SANDI. LANDS PURVIS, late Assistant to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Hongkong, Deceased.

NTOTICE ishereby given, that the Honourable the CHIEF JUSTICE baving, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the 7TH MAY, 1893, the time for sending in CLAIMS against the said Estate, All Creditors are hereby required to before the said date.

send in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned All Persons INDEBTED to the said Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to the Undersigned. Dated 9th March, 1893.

R. LYALL,

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. 14 sailors, from British barque Penshaw.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION No. 88.

TUESDAY Next, the 11th Instant, owing to the scarcity of Water, the SUPPLY will only be TURNED ON between the hours of 6 and 9 a.m. and 6 and 8 p.m. As it is anticipated that the pressure in the mains will, under the above circumstances, be insufficient to secure the delivery of Water at the Levels of the Upper Floors of Houses in portions of the City, the attention of the Public is directed to the numerous Street Fountains fixed throughout the City from which a limited Supply can be obtained.

By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN,

Colonial Scorelary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 11th March, 1893.

ROYAL.

GRAND ENGLISH COMEDY SEASON. Under the Distinguished Patronge of His Excellency the Governor Sir WILLIAM R BINSON, K.O.M.G. Lady ROBINSON, Family and Suite,

MONDAY, 13th March, 1893. First appearance in Hongkong of the TONDON LYRIC COMPANY. 18 ARTISTS 18.

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Books of Eight Tickets\$13. Box Plan at Messis, K. LLY & WALSE, LD. Doors Open at 8.30. Commence at 9. S. OENESE, Business Manus er.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

Hongkong, March 11, 1893.

THE Undersigned has received matruetions to Soll by Public Auction, on TUESDAY,

the 14th March, 1893, at 2.30 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-THE STOCK-IN-TRADE

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TAPESTRY and VELVET COYERED DEAW ING ROOM SUITES. MARBLE-TOP CENTRE and Size TABLES. BEVELLED CLASS OVERHANTELS, CHEF. FORIERS, PICTURES, CARPETS and Rogs. CURIOS and ORNAMENTS DINING TABLE, MARBLE-TOP SIDEBOARING

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RE-TOUCHING AND SPOTTING SETS, \$1.50. SYPHON WASHING TROUGHS, \$3.00, \$4.50.

ANNUAL MEETING. SATURDAY, 25th March, 1893. To be held on the RACECOURSE, under the laws of A. A. Association, open to TT is hereby notified that on and after Gentlemen Amatours who are Members of or Visitors to the Hongkong OLUB, CLUB

GERMANIA, LUSITANO, CITY, ORICKET,

TONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUBS, and to Officers of HER MAJESTY'S SERVICES. ENTRIES to be sent in on or before FRIDAY, 17th March, 1893.

A. DENISON. Hon. Secretary.

PROGRAMME:-1 -120 Yards Flat Race (Handicap) 2. - Wide Jump. 3 .- 220 Yards Flat Race (Handicap). 4 .- Half Mile Flat Race (Handicap). Open to Soldiers, Sailors and Police. 5. Hurdle Race 120 Yards, 10 Flights.

6.-Ladies' Purse, Half-Mile Flat Race (Handicap). .- High Jump. 8. - Bicycle Race (Handicap), One Mile. 9.-100 Yard Challenge Cup. 10 .- Quarter Mile, open to European Police. 11 .- Throwing the Cricket Ball. 12 .- Mile Challenge Cup.

13.-Veteraus' Race, 120 Yards (Handicap). 10 Years in Tropics and over 35 Years of age. 14.-International Tug-of-War, 8 men a His Excellency Major-General BARKER, 15. - Douglas Challenge Cup, Quarter-Mile

16. -Consolation Race. The Numbers do not necessarily repre- Mr R. V. Asser sent the order in which the Events will Miss Asser Entry Forms can be obtained at the Mr E. Boesch HONGKONG CLUB, CLUB GERMANIA, LUBI- Mr H. S. J. Browne Mrs Nicol and child TARO, CITY, CRICKET OF VICTORIA RECREA- Mr Cool Burt

TION OLUBS, or on application to the Hon. | Capt. Butcher, e.s.D. Hongkong, March 11, 1893 STEAM TO SHANGHAL

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Stoamship Malwa,
Captaiu C. F. PRESTON R. N. E .. will leave for the above place 8 a m. on MONDAY, the 13th Instant. For Freight or Passago, apply to

H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co. & Other. Hongkong, March 11, 1893.

FOR SHANOHAL. The Steamship Lycemoun,
Captain G. HEUERMANN,
will be despatched for the

above Port on TUESDAY, the 14th Inst., at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, March 11, 1893 THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHI COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA PIA AMOY. The Co.'s Steamship Bameralda. Captain Taylist, will be desputched for the above

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tion for tassengers, and is fined with the 478 E.ectric Light. For Freight or Passage, applicate SHEWAN & Co.

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FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Stermahip Cardinanthire,

Captam Stroock, will be or ale of TUESDAY, the 21st instant, inatead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, don't

DIOWELL CARLILL & Co., Ayentz.

Hanghang, March 11, 1893. HIPPI

ARRIVAL March 10:-Else, German stormer, 747, C. Christensen, Bangkok March 2, Rice .- Laurs &

WEGENER March Il : Canton, British steamer, from Canton. Esmeralda, British ateamer, 966, G. A. Tayler, Manda March 8, General - Sneway

Malua, British steamer, 2,970, C. H. S. Tocque R. N R., Bombay February 22, and Singapore March 5, Mails and General .-P. & O. S. N. Co.

Ask Danish steamer, 682, Storm, Hai-473 phong March 8, General. - A. R. MARTY. Ege it, British gunboat, from a cruise. Tritos, German ateamor, 1,340, J Hesler, Saigon March 6, Rice. Stemssen & Co. Activ. Danish steamer, 305, H. Hygom, Pakhor March 8, and Hollaw 10, General.

R. R. Thomas, American ship, 1,332, P. R. E. Thomas, American sup, 1,552, 1.

R. Nickels, New York October 19, Kerosine Master Eberle Oil .- SHEWAN & Co. Mogul, Bri ish steamer, 1,827, Golding, Kobe March 4, General, - Dodwell, CAR LILL & Co.

> DEPARTURES. March 11:-

Holstein, for Saigon. Ningpo, for Shanghai. Fokien, for Swa'ow. Cass, for Amoy. Bormida, for Singapore and Bombay. Alert, American gunboat, for Manila. Vinere. Freuch ganboat, for Saigon, Haiphong, for Haiphong. Hongay, for Samarang. Triomphante, French cruiser, for Amoy

GLEGARTED Pollux, for Saigon. Mongkut, for Swatow. Benledi, for Saigon. Hankow, for Singapore and New York. PASSENGERS.

ARRITED.

MEMOS, FOR TO-MURROW. Shipping. Miscellaneous.

Shipping, 8 a.m. - Mahoa leaves for Shanghai. Noon. - Radnorshire leaves for Japan.

Miscellaneous. date subject to rent.

from Bumbay, Miss Wright, For Yokohama : from London, Miss Padgett, Mr W. Exchange. Parker Shipton, Miss Spalding, Mr F. M. HONOKONG, March 11. Stephens, Mr and Mrs Dauholm, Mr Drow, On Londonand Miss Drew; from Brindisi. Mrs Drew, and Miss Newton; from Ismailia, Mr G. Chase; from Ismailia via Bombay, Mr H. 30 days' sight, Richardson; from Bombay. Major F. E. Furmer; from Colombo, Miss Virtue, Mr H. G. Rennie, Mr and Mrs F. Makart. Documentary 4 months' sight DEPARTED. On Paris-Per Bormida, for Singapore, Messrs C. On domand, Credits, 4 months' eight, J. Deines, Ho Chi Tong, J. Mahomet, E. On Berlin-Demand,... Elias, Molwey, and 600 Chinese. On New York-On demand, SHIPPING REPORTS. Oradita, (ii) days signt, The British steamer .Esmeralda reports : On Bombay-On domand,

n Shanghai-

Had fresh to string N.E. breeze and cloudy, with considerable sea. The British steamer Malwa reports: Had moderate N.E. mousoon, with heavy ses throughout. VISITORS AT HOTELS. HONGKONG HOTEL. Mr J. M. Lowis

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For SHANGHAL - (Supplementary). Per Malwa, at 7.30 a.m., on Monday, the 13th inst. For KOBE & YOKOHAMA,-Per Radnorshire, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 13th inst.

Daylight .- Hankow leaves for New York. Goods per Glenogle undelivered after this

date subject to rent. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

Amusements. 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall.

Rev. and Mrs Coultag and 3 children, Miss Goods per Chinguo undelivered after this Vaness, and Mr Gordon Harris; from Brin-On Calcutta-

> 30 days' sight, private paper, Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) Sovereigns (Bank's huying rate) \$ 7.25 A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

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Per doz. Per Case. Bot. A Alto Douro, good quality, Green Capsule\$10 \$1.00 B Vintage, superior quality, Red Capsule 12 1.10 C Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule 14 1.25 D Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet

Capaule (Old Bottled)..... 18 1.50 SHERRIES. A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule B Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 7.50 0.75 C Marzanilla, Pale Natural Sherry, White Capsule ... 10 CC Superior Old Dry Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule 10 1.00 D Very Superior Old Pale

Dry; choice old Wine. White Saal Capsule 12 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality B'ack Seal Capsule (Old Per Case. Per Case. 1 doz. 2 doz. Quarts. Posts. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret, Red Capsule \$ 4 \$4.50 B St. Estephe, Red Capsula 4.50 5.00 C St. Julien, Red Capsule ... D La Rose, Red Capsulo 11 Sainte Foy

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A Hennessy's Old Pale, Red B Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule 15 C Very Old Liqueur Cognue, 20 D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule ... 30 SCOTOH WHISKY. A Thorne's Bland, White Capsule B Watson's Glenorchy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, 8 O Watsen's Aberlour-Glenlivet,

Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule 10 1.90 E Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Guld Capaule :.... Duniel Crawford's Finest Very Old Scotch Whisky 10.00 1.00 Mr and Mrs Pigott IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old Green Capsula B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule 10 C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capaule 12 AMERICAN WHISKY. Genuine Bourbon Whisky, fine old, Red Capsule, with our Name and Trede

..... 10 1.00 GIN. A Fine Old Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unsweetened, White White Capsule C Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5.25 0.50 RUM.

Finest Old Jamaica, Violet Capsule 12 Finest Old Jamaica, Vio-Benedictine, Maraschine, Curacoa, Hearing's Cherry Cordial,

Chartrepse, Dr. Siegert's Augustura PRICES ON APPLICATION. THE HONOKONG DISPENSARY. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841. [108 the loss of the vessel.

at 8.05 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1893. TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA' MAIL!]

(Via Southern Line.) THE HOME RULE BILL.

SINGAPORE, March 10. The second reading of the Home Rulo Bill has been deferred until the 16th instant. The Parnellite Convention have resolved that no settlement will be regarded as complete without an unconditional amnesty to the Irish politicals now incarcerated in English gaols, and the Convention further demands extensive amending of the financial portion of the Bill.

HAWAII. President Cleveland has withdrawn the Bawaiian Annexation Bill.

SILVER. session for the repeal of the Silver Pur- 3rd instant. chase Bill.

PANAMA SCANDALS. It has been distinctly proved that bribes had been offered and accepted previous to

Country's pardon.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND: -leer, Bounton, Jan. 13; Guernsey, Feb. 10; Benlarig, 17 Imshowen Head, Endeavour, 21; Torridon, 24; Denbighshire, Salazie, Lawang, Cape Comino, Varmarthenshire, 28 : Polyphemus, Queen Anne, Maria Valerie, March 3; Glenartney, Niobe, Priam, Cape Comorin, Sikh, Tellus, 7. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Ethiope, Jan. 30 Glenes's, Feb. 4; Glenshiel, 7; Alton-

Telemachus, Eton, Worcester, Oceanien, The Northern Pacific chartered steamer may be expected here on or about Sunday, March 12.

ower, 10; Java, 14; Aglaia, 24; Pem-

brokeshire, Exe, Bushmills, 28; Oopack,

The Norddeutscher, Lloyd S. S. Compa-MAIL from Berlin to Feb. 13, left Singapore on Friday, March 10, at 9 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, March 16.

The O. & O. s. s. Belgic, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolalu and Yokobama on Feb. 23. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamship Peru, by the constitutional two-thirds majority with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokoham , on Murch 4. The R. M. S. S. Empress of China left

hama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai heme in Fremont, Ohio. on March 7. he a.s. Energia left Singapore on March 4. and may be expected here on or about March 11.

may be expected here on or about March 14. The s.s. Riversdale left Singapore on March purposes of towing and of pumping the

about March 14.

Tho a. a. Wingsang, from Calcutta and or about March 15. Case. Bot. The C. S. S. Co.'s steamship Agamemnon ther is fine and promising.' left Singapore on March 7, and may be espected here on or about March 15.

> burg, left Singapore for this port on March 10, and may be expected here on or about March 17. The P. & O. s. s. Gwalior left Bombay for

this port on March 7. UNION CHURCH. -SUNDAY, MARCH 12TH, Hymns, 16 (Hanover), 319 and 50; Psalm, 146 (Graufenberg); Anthem, 17.

this port on March 1.

gun at 11.20 a.m.

A CIVET cat was captured alive the other | Beefsteak Club, and beginning : Dear Mr 0.75 day by Mr Kennedy beside his stubles in Garden Road.

burg, left Singapore for our port yesterday afternoon, and may be expected here onor about the 17th inst. Another enjoyable dance was given last night by the members of the Institution of

Ir has been decided to hold the Athletic Sports at the Racecourse on Saturday, 25th Good Leeward Island. \$1.50 per Gal. the events will be found in another column.

at their rooms, Praya Central.

crow of the sailing vessel Penshaw, wrecked Bitters, &c. some time ago near the Philippines, arrived as a matter of fact, I have no better to-day per the steamer Emeralda. Board of Trade inquiry will be held into as I am apt to be at St James's where

A GOVERNMENT Notification in another At Tower Woodlands. West, on the 11th column announces that on and after Tuesday next, owing to the scarcity of water, the supply will be turned on only between the hours of 6 and 9 a.m. and 6 and 8 p.m. It is anticipated, that the pressure in the mains will not be sufficient to secure the delivery of water at the levels of the upper floors of houses in certain portions of the city, and the attention of the public is directed to the numerous street fountains, from which a limited supply can

THE Governor General of the Philippines, D. Eulogio Despujol, Count de Caspe, accompanied by the Countess de Caspe, left Manils on the morning of the 7th idstant, on board the Ntra. Sra. de Lorcto, for Singapore, en route for Spain. The Count de Caspe, who had scarcely been in Manila fifteen months, is highly praised by the press and the public for his many acts of, benevolence, both officially and in private life. One of the good things he did during his short term of office was his inauguration of the School of Arts, which has done a great deal to encourage native industry in the several provinces. General 20. Cato, D. Federico Ochando, is left in command until the arrival of the new Governor General, Lt. General Don Ramon Blanco y Erenas, Marquis of Penaplata, It is stated that President Cleveland whose appointment has just been announcabandons the intention of holding a special ed by a telegran from Madrid, dated the

OFFICIAL intimation was received in Hong. kong this morning of the death of Ex-President Hayes, of the United States, and on some of the Consulates and business houses throughout the Colony, as well as on the American flegship Lancaster, the flegs were half-masted. Rutherford Birchard Hayes, LL.D., was the nineteenth President of the United States. He was born at Doleware, Ohio, October 14, 1822. Graduating at Kenyon College in 1842, he was admitted to the Bar three years later. During the Civil war he saw a good deal of service, and when he resigned his commission in 1865, he held the position of Major-General of Volunteers. He entered Congress the same your as a Representative from Ohio, and two years later became Governor of that State, was re-elected in 1869, and again in 1875. The Republican National Convention, in consequence of Mr Hayes' repeated Teucer, Preussen, March 3; Oceana, 7. | successes in Ohio, decided to run him for the Presidency, and he was elected by a Flintshire, from Tacoma, left Yokohama | majority of one vote over Mr Tilden, the for Hongkong direct on March 7, and Democratic candidate. Mr Hayes' administration was a conservative one, and was insted, according to Men of the Time, my's s. s. Sachsen, with the GERMAN more for its exceptional purity than for any especial policy. By the withdrawal of all national troops from the Southern States. he restored to them in its full entity the 1.10 The Northern Pacific steamer Victoria left | right of local self government, and Victoria, B.C., on Feb. 22, for Japan thus removed, probably permanently, the "Southern question" from general politics, He endeavoured to prevent the premonitization of silver, but his veto was overriden' in both Houses of Congress. On March 4, 1881, he was succeeded by Mr Garfield, and retiring into private life resided at his Vancouver for Hongkong via Yoko-

A FERROL correspondent telegraphed on the 2nd nit. .- The injuries done to the port side of Her Majesty's ship Howe have now been tightened, and the pumping of the after-holds began this afternoon. The Austrian Lloyd's steamship Maria For the fixing of the radder and the ne-Teresa, left Singapore on March 7, and cessary work all the stations are fixed, the Narcismy being abead and the Seahorse on the starboard quarter for the respective 7, and my be expected here on or starb and side, which is arranged for tomorrow. The results of these operations will to a great extent determine whether the attempt to float the House, which is, Straits for this port, left Singapore on to be made on Saturday's evening tide, March 8, and may be expected here on will be successful, and great confidence is expre sed of a satisfactory issue. The mea-

Science explains the phenomenon of red The China Mutual Co.'s steamship Canfa, hair thus; 'It is caused by a superabunfrom London and Liverpool, left Sin- dance of iron in the blood. This it is that gapore for this port on March 9, and imparis the vigor, the classicity, the great may be expected here on or about vitality, the overflowing, thoroughly healthy animal life which runs riot through the The D. D. R. s. Kriemkild, from Ham- veins of the ruddy-haired, and this strong sentient animal-life is what renders them more intense in all their emotions than their more istudid fellow-creatures. The excess of iron is also the cause of freckles on the poculiarly clear, white skin which always accompanies red hair. This skin is The P. and O. s. s. Canton left Bombay for abnormally sensitive to the action of the sun's rays, which not only bring out the lit:le brown spots in abundance, but also burn like a mustard-plaster, producing a queer, craepy, sensation, as if the skin was wrinkling up.

How Mr George Grossmith became an operatio performer is related by that THE delivery of the English Mail was begentleman himself in the pages of 'The Icler. It was one Tuesday night in the year 1877 that he received a letter from Sir Arthur (then Mr Sullivan), dated from the Grossmith, -Are you inclined to go on the stage for a time! There is a part in the now piece I am doing with Gilbert which you would play admirably. The piece was The Sorcerer'-the part John Wellington THE D. D. R. str. Kriemhild, from Ham-Wells. Subsequently Mr Grossmith learnt that Mr Sullivan and Mr Arthur Cecil were both writing letters at the club when the former happened to remark that he couldn't 'find a fellow for this opera.' Mr. Before he had finished the sentence. Sallivan, who had heard Mr Grossmith give a musical skotch at a dinner party, Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hongkong exclaimed The very man | And so (says the narrator of this anecdote) I was engaged.' Mr Grossmith, it will be found, has many amusing things to tell his interviewer about experiences on tour. That' (he says) 'is hard work if you like. I have instant. An advertisement giving a list of gone a four months' tour without missing a night. It takes it out of one terribly. But it is very paying work. In the South CAPTAIN Wood, Captain Speechly and the of England I have made as much as 300%. a week. My friends tried to frighten me as to the apathy of my Scotch andienges; audiences anywhere. I like performing to country audiences. I am never nervous, there are a number of my friends.

Administrator.

Per Esmeralda, from Manila, Mr and Mrs P. Anderson and servant, Mr F. Walcot, [44 | Capt. J. Speechly, Mr T. Wood, 2 officers,

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-KOK.-Per Mongkut at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 12th inst. For SHANGHAL .-Per Malion. Registration, 4.45 p.m. Letters 5 p.m., on Sunday, the 12th

For HOIHOW & PAKHOL-Per Activ, at 6 p.m., on Monday, the 13:h inst.

THE total net carnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway company for the year 1892 were \$8,024,000. The fixed charges for the year amount to \$5,102.000, leaving a surnius over fixed charges of \$3,522,000 : \$1,300,000 are required to make up the dividend on the Common Stock to 5 per cent. leaving \$2,222,000 as the surplus earnings of the year, which makes the aggregato' undivided surplus to date \$6,923,000.

THERE were six battleships in Malta harbour recently but not one of them was in a condition to put to sea. A correspondent of the Central News writes :- When the news of the carthquake in Zanto reached here the battleship Dreadnought was ordered to take in medical appliances and an additional surgeon, bell tents, provisions, and timber, and to proceed to the distressed island with all possible speed. It was found, however, that her machinery was under repair and that she could not procond to sea at short notice. Considerable commont has been caused here by the fact that of the six battleships in harbour at the time not one was in a position to procond to sea at a few hours' notice.

Long Randolph Churchill, driven on to the front Opposition beach by the appropriation of his corner seat by an Irish member, was found there again on the 6th uit. He in. tends, it is said, to avail himself of the invitation courteously extended by Mr Balfour to resume his privilege as an ex-Minister. This is the first time he has sut shoulder That since the failure to obtain the sorting to shoulder with his old colleagues since he laid down the leadership. The accident may have considerable influence on the course of events in the session. Lord R. Churchill chanced to find himself next to Mr Goschen, and judging from the friendly way in which they conversed the batchet has been buried.

The members of the Roportors' Gallery of the House of Commons were somewhat astonished on the 6th alt. by the appearance in their midst of Mr J. J. O'Kelly, the Parnellite who failed to get returned tor North Roscommon at the General Election. Mr O'Kelly represents the Daily Independent, the organ of the Parnellites. There have been many matances of reporters leaving the Gallery for the floor of the House-Sir Charles Russell, Mr Justin McCarthy, Mr T. P. O'Connor, and Sir Edward Clarke, to mention a few-but Mr O'Kelly is the only instance of a journalist migrating from the floor to the Gallery.

The interesting question as to whether a Colonial Governor possesses the power to release a prisoner incarcerated by order of the Supreme Court of the Colony for alleged contempt has been settled in the affirmative by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council. The special case. which related to the Bahamas, was referred to this tribunal for consideration by the Secretary of State. The editor of a local paper rafused to give up the name or the MS. of a correspondent who criticised the Chief Justice, not judicially, but in reply to some remarks by the Chief Justice in the same local paper. For this act the editor was committed for contempt, but released by the Governor under express instructions from the Secretary of State. The points which the Judicial Committee had to consider were, firstly, whother the editor had committed contempt of Court at all; secondly, whether, if he had committed that offence, the sentences passed upon him were legal; and, thirdly, whother the Governor had the right to order his release. The first was answered in the negative, and the two others in the affirmative. Thus it appears that the power of the Governor of a Crown Colony dues extend to releasing a prisoner committed for contempt.

LEAVING personalty of the gross value of £352,703 and of the net value of £3,889 the late Duke of Marlborough, late of Blenheim Palace, Woodstook, who died on Nov. 9 last, aged forty-eight years, appoint ed as the executors of his will, which bears date July 11, 1889, his wife, Lily, and Spencer Whitehead, of 188, Fleet-street, solicitor. 'I dislike particularly,' the testator states in his will, 'the exclusiveness of family pride, and I wish not to be buried in the family vault in Blesheim Chapel, but ic any suitable place that may be convenient in which others of my own generation and surroundings are equally able with myself to find a resting place together. The Duke bequeaths to each domestic servent and to each clerk in the estate office and to his head gardener and clerk of the works (if of five years' service) £100, and to those of ten years' service further £50 each. He bequeaths to the executors £5,000 to invest the same and accumulate the income for twenty-one years, and then to apply the trust-fund in repairing, renovating, and improving the roof and outside of Blenheim Palace. All the residue of the real and personal estate to which at his death he might be boneficially entitled, or over which he might have power of disposition beneficially, the testator devised and bequeathed absolutely to his wife, Jane Lilian Warren Spencer Churchill, Duchess of Marlborough, daughter of the late Commodore Price, U.S. Navy, and widow of Mr Louis Hammersley. The will suggests, but without making it obligatory, that the Duchess may see fit to lay out £3,000 in restoring Bladon Church.

THE LONDON LYRIC COMPANY. Mesars Brett Hardy and Saville Smith's London Lyric Company arrived by the English mail steamer Malwa to-day. For the inauguration of their short season here. which commences on Monday evening. Amy Steinberg's farcical comedy 'My Uncle ' has been chosen. Originally produced at Terry's Theatre, 'My Uncle' sognbecame a favourité not only in London but in the provinces and abroad. The plot runs somewhat as follows :- A young English gentleman, Mr Felix Flutter, writes to his uncle in India, Mr Benjamin Brown, that he has got married and encloses a photo of the lady to whom he is engaged. This brings a remittance of £500, a welcome addition to the resources of his impecunious nephew. However, the result of the engagement is a breach of promise action on the part of the lady, which absorbs a large portion of the £500. Flutter next announces to his confiding relative the birth of a daughter and this duly brings another remittance. Next year the arrival of a son to bless the Flutter household is the news by which the uncle's heart is sought to be moved, but the old gentleman about this time suddenly turns up in England and thereby complicates matters a good deal. Flutter deciden to keep up the assumed role of husband and father at hazzrds, and the ingenious but dangerous devices to which he has to resort in order to do this lead to a number of highly amusing situations. The second production will be Pinero's smusing and well-

written comedy 'The Magistrate.'

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That the judicial proceedings against A F. Alves seem to hang fito, while the Executive has given forth an opinion in Legislative Council, and the Special Commission is busy in its efforts to get at

the facts of the alleged defalcations. That it may prove difficult for a Jury, if called upon, to discard outside knowledge in prenouncing upon the guilt or innocence of Alves, in view of the declarations made by the Government in Council.

That I do not pretend to know the rules which govern the delivery of the mails from the Messageries Maritimes packets upon their arrival in harbour.

That is is generally believed the French steamers are much more under the rule of red-tape than are the English packets, and this is proved by the failure to carry out a service of sorting on board the Frenchmen.

That when a French mail ateamer gets to Green Island at say 8 a.m., and the mails are not delivered until nearly 34 hours thereafter, there niust be something wrong somewhere, either in our arrangement with the French vessels or in carr own Post Office.

system on the M. M. steamers no one of delay in that direction, while the presence of any abortcoming our own P. & O. Co's. vessels is the subject of general conunciation,

parent shortcomings in one way, it may be as well to mention another peculiarity which affects the Chinese or Cantonese

existing compromise, under which the Chinese gunboats, cruisers and Customs launches appear to have an almost too free use of the man-of-war anchorage in our harbour. That, at the same time, there must be a

foreign vessel has any right to fly through the shipping in mid-harbour, and tre salutes as she goes. ferred to have no better knowledge of

what is expected of them, they should be responsible for the safety of the harbour That it would be interesting to know under

what conditions the Unofficial Members confidential answers to the Alves' quea-That it is quite clear a stipulation to make the answers public should have been made, if it was not, and the Governor

should have seen to it that this duty was ! performed. That the reason why this was not done can be explained only by the neglect of the Unofficial Menibers or the supercilious indifference of the Executive.

That the feeble attempt at an explanation made by the Colonial Secretary at last public meeting of the Council made mattern worse than they were. That the Colonial Secretary had already

shown a vast contempt for the Unofficial Mombers, and it was but no tural the same lie whom they represented. That the bottling up of the 'usual pubpresenting the Justices of the Peace and

the Chamber of Commerce without question, did not demonstrate very robust representation on the part of Mr Miles drove his first ball for 6 and bit the C. P. Chater or Mr T. Whitehead. That the repetition of the answers the other day did not call forth a word of remon. last effort, as Herbert immediately after strance from any one of the Unofficials bowled him for a well-played 37. After present, which showed that the Unofficial Members are not so ready in seizing their

opportuni ies as Mr O'Brien is. That it would have been well perhaps had the Commission been instructed-perhaps it is, but it is difficult to fully comprehend official language-to go fully and specifically into the system of Imperial auditing which has been introduced into the Colony against the opinion and vote of the Unofficia Mem-

That I see the worthy Attorney General has two baby-bills on the string at the wharves, and that he is fishing now by the new line, while he holds the old line in reserve in case of accidents.

That perhaps after all Mr Goodman bas discovered the secret of being all things to all men, and it might be well if every statesman were to try to follow the ex-

That as there were two achedules of the piers and wherves, why should there not be two bitls; it gives so much more scope for movement in discussion. That such a procedure might be incon-

venient-supposing the Grand Old Man (I don't mean Goodman) had Home Rule Bill No. 1, and Home Rule Bill No 2. and he were to keep each alternately daugling before the House in accordance with the variations in the debate. That in a 'House' like the Hongkong

Legislature, however, that experiment, or any other, can be made with perfect nafety, as the Unofficial Members seldom object to anything. That our Naval friends are usually credited with knowing not guly how to dance but how to got up a ball, and the display in

the Dockyard seems to have been a great That your description of the scone was not overdrawn can be testified to by many old stagers, who have whispered their | Centon of February 24:opinion to me that it was the protriest

in Hougkong for years. pastimes of the community.

ings in the City Hall.

lady readers.

than to anyone else.

Government upon special occasions. t What does Houghong want.'

That probably no subject could have been THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY. BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE 20s. per share, payable by instalments, ed in a Paris review, in which His Highsuggested upon which so many diversifimost, wants a return of prosperity.

That many residents have a notion that I held on the 16th inst.:--

That the popular 'T. J. has done December, 1892. much for Rongkong and will perof un' e lithy booms has been found to be | where. worse than the plain level of everyday

well-known resident goes without saying, and that he will take the place of a man (Mr de Bovis) who has done good work for the Bank during a very trying time is without question.

That Mr Jackson will be welcomed as a

CRICKET.

THE CLUB P. SHROPSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY. Played at the Cricket Ground this after. noon. The Club won the toss, and sent in owen and F. Maitland to face the bowling of Liddle and Markham. With his third ball the underhand howler scattered Lowson's wicket, and with the acore at 19 Herbert, the Naval crack, was sent back to the Paviseems to think it necessary to complain lion. Maitland and G. S. Coxon made a stand and brought the score to 81 before the former was held by Moore, Only two more runs had been added when, E. J. Coxon That while I am on the growl about ap- paid the penalty for putting his leg in front of a straight ball from Walsgrove. The partnership of the day took place when Murray joined G. S. Coxon, but whereas the That I do not pose as an opponent of the latter played a fine innings almost in his old form, Murray had some luck, especially towards the end of his fanings, which closed one run short of the half century. During this partnership the score was carried from medium in all things, and I fancy no |83 to 167. Black did not trouble the field, but Newton indulged in vigorous hitting till his career was brought to an abrupt That if those in charge of the gunboats re- termination by Sergeant Bland. The total had reached 202 when Coxon was very taught a better way by those who are unfortunately run out. His 74 is the highest score he has made this season. It came in very opportunely, for none of the mea usually depended upon for long scores seemof Council were favoured with the first | ed to be in batting form. His cutting and forward play were very good, and but for the unfortunate misunderstanding between him and Currie there was every likelihood of his being not out. Ezekiel and Hallward had a lively partnership, and put together

34 runs for the last wicket. Upon going in to bat the Regiment had a disastrous innings, with the exception of Lidle and Bland, who batted for a long time without making runs, few of the batsmen seemed at home with Loweon and B. J. Coxon who were bowling well, backed up by close fielding. With six wickets down for indifference should be shown to the pub- 34. Miles and Strick get together, and raised the score by careful play to 58, at which licity for two weeks which was apparently point Herbert relieved Lowson. Miles accepted by the Unofficial Members re- played exceedingly well, negotiating the good balls and hitting out at the loose ones. At 69 Black took the ball from Coxon. last ball of the over for 5. This was his he left the innings did not last long, though Strick continued to bat carefully and carried out his bat for 22. Scores : -

R. K. Herbert, n.s., o Strick, b Markham ..

3. S. Coxon, run out E. J. Coxon, l.b.w., b Walkgrove G. C. Murray, c Steventon, b Welman C. A. Black, c Moore, b Strick..... PREOFERER LIGHT INFANTRY. Lt.-Col. Ravenhill, b Lowson Scret.-Major Liddle, run out...... Welman, c Ezekiel, b Lowson . Licut. Markhom, b Lowson Servi. Bland, c and b E. J. Comp. Major Lyle, c Lowson, b E. J. Coren. Corp. Miles, b Herbert Private Steventon, b Horbert .. Capt. Moore, b Black L.-Oorp. Walsgrove, c Lowson, b Herbert. BOWLING ANALYSIS -THE CLUB. Liddle Weiman A TRAGEDY ON THE M. M.

STEAMER NATAL We take the following from the Times of GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR,

An exciting incident happened on the and host-managed dance they had seen s.s. Natat the day before yesterday when the vessel was nearing Colombo. About That this is saying a good deal in a place like | tiffin time, just before the passengers left Hongkong, where public and semi-public the deck, one of the first-class passengers balls have formed one of the favourite was seen to rush to the side of the ship and throw himself overboard. The vessel was That at the Naval Yard, as at Government stopped as soon as possible, and a boat was House on a recent occasion, the influence lowered; but the unfortuate man was of the deft fingers and delicate artistic never seen again after his plunge into the sense of the ladies was made manifest, I sea. The only thing recovered belonging and this advantage is one which must be | to him was his hat. The boat remained duly considered when speaking of gather- shout the place where he sank for an hour and then, as no signs were seen of him, it rect, and in our opinion the Balance Sheet That, as I did not consent to an addition was hauled up and made fast to the davits is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true to the wardrobe of my faithful partner again and the ship resumed her voyage. and correct view of the Bank's affairs as on this occasion (in view of the hard The suicide we learn was a very wealthy shewn by the books (the London Returns times) I felt rather out of it when I Englishman named Smyth Bagot, who have been audited and certified by Mesers greatest, the directors have opened a branch desperate expedient of tampering with the perused that list of millinery glories and joined the Natal at Alexandria, to which Deloitte, Dever, Griffiths & Co., Chartered in Culoutta, which they have reason to be monetary basis upon which the financial mantua-making successes with which port he had voyaged in his own yacht. Accountants). your correspondent sought to gratify the He was accompanied by his wife and by his correctly and trouble the hearts of your medical adviser (Dr Neel Ganvin), and Mrs Ganvin, and one or two servants. His That I hear the Hongkong Association will behaviour on board up to the time he put soon take definite shape, and although it an end to his life was not such as to excite and Iron Tonic gives New Life, Appetite, Health, has not been named the O'Brien Opposi- suspicion; but it is said that Dr Neel Strength, Energy. Cures Neuralgia, Indiges- well splend, and our depositors, convinced of the operatives for two and a half per tion, the organisation owes perhaps more Ganvin had attended him in order to watch to the Colonial Secretary for its existence over him, it being thought that he might depressing climates or malarious districts. Everymake some attempt on his life. The cap-That it ought to succeed, if for nothing else | tain of the Natal was not informed of this, than to give form and body to the ex- however, or he would have had him pression of public opinion toward the specialty watched. Mrs Smyth Bagot, who was going with her husband to Yoko- less, effects more than any other. The color That the 'Odd Volumes' pyidently mean hams, remained here with Dr and Mrs produced is most natural. Lockyer's Salphur Oriental Hotel.

LIMITED. ed opinions could be given, although all . The following is the report of the Direcwill agree that Hongkong, first and fore- tors to be presented at the Ordinary Meet-

Thomas Jackson returns, although the Articles of Association, the Directors have bank). idea is formed upon a rather ambiguous now to submit to you their Half-yearly Report for the six months ending 31st

Business.—The nett earnings of the past haps do more, but the magic word half-year show a falling off on the cor-'buom' does not carry with it the responding period of 1891, which was caused same charm which it did, as the reaction by the had times prevailing hearly every-New Wing .- The Wing was completed

and handed over by the Contracter on the 1st Decmber, 1892. Profit and Loss .- The accounts for the half-year, after deducting Interest, Fire Insurance, Taxes, Ordinary expenses. making provision for bad and doubtful debts, and writing off depreciation of furniture, show a profit of \$2,806.41, to which has to be added \$4,028.89 brought forward from the jast half-year, making available for distribution \$6,835.30, which the Dircotors, with the sanction of she Shareholders, proposa to deal with as follows :-To pay a Dividend of 60 cents

per share on all shares 250 o pay a Dividend of 374 cents per shares on ull shares \$37.50 paid-up To pay a Dividend of 25 cents per share on all shares \$25 paid-up

To carry forward to new Account 2,225.55

The Dividend will only be paid on fully paid up shares until such time that the calls Directors. - Messre J. F. C. da Roza and

themselves for re election. Audit .- Mesars F. Henderson and W. H Potts have audited the Accounts, and offer themselves for re-election. E. Jones Hughes, Chairman. Hongkong, 11th March, 1893.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

LIMITED. directors to the second ordinary annual

beld on the 23rd inst.:-

steady progress of the Bank. Your ceivable and other assets are in correspond-Directors continue to avoid doubtful and ing entries to those on the other side. Derisky business, and feel confident that, posit expenses are expenses in connection having reduced their holding, had increased The Shareholders are each reminded expenses of management at the head office.

management and strengthen the Bank. Messrs Deloitte, Dever, Griffiths & Co., Chartered Accountants.

D. Gillies, Chairman.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1893. BALANCE SHEET, 31st DECEMBER, 1892.

Liabilities. Capital 750 Fully paid Foundera' Shares of £1 each (at par of 3s.) Capital partly paid—(at par

1st Call £2 paid £99.694 2nd ,, £2 ,, £90 001 3rd . £1 ., £40,118 4th ., £1 .. £38,797 5th , £1 ., £38,687 6th ,, £1 ,, £34,251

£341,549 Fixed Deposit, Current and On Drafts, Acceptinges, and Endorsements (Bills rediscounted)

Balanco carried forward

Cash in hand and at Banke's ... \$ 507,419.37 Penang. China and James for fixed periods, Government and other Sicurities belonging to the Bank Bills receivable, Loans and

Advances..... 3 0 Furniture, Stationery ------------... ag Account (Exchange and Interest)

Total\$4,709,337.00 change which has taken place. Now, of PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. 31st December, 1892. Charges, Salaries, Directors' Fees, &c....\$ 67,308.72 Balance of profit carried forward.....

Balance brought forward from last half-year Gross earnings for balf-year ending 31st Dec.....

Chief Manager. ANTHONY BAHINGTON. D. GILLIES,

WILLIAM WOTTON. CRAS. J. HIRST. CHOW TUNG SHANG, CHAN KIT SHAN. KWAN HOI CHUN.

We have compared the above Statements Head Office and with the Returns from the Branches and have found same to be cor-

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tion, Norve Debillty. Specially useful in hot, of the absolute and overwhelming scourity one should keep up strongth by taking Peppers's Quinine, the world-known English Tonic, Bottles everywhere.

To Danken Gury Hair.-Lockyer's Sulphur Hair Restorer is the quickest, best, safest; costs

The third ordinary general meeting of the endeavoured, gentlemen, in these remarks. Mekong river, and complains of British Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits to place before you, in as clear a manner as aggression. street Hotel, under the presidency of Mr. . viewed by the board, and in doing so it has

ing of Shareholders of the company, to be (Limited) was held on the 9th at Cannon- possible, the position of affairs as it is Hongkong will be all right when Mr In accordance with Section 53 of the William Keswick (the chairman of the been my desire to enable you, for yourselves, The Chairman said: Gentlemen, it is a subject of regret to the board that, in meeting you on this occasion, they are unable to submit to you a more satisfactory report and statement of accounts for the past year. and that results, when compared with the two previous returns; are not more favourable. I feel, however, in speaking to business men -and more especially to those who may be acquainted with the East-that they will find abundant explanation of the difference in the general course of events during the past twelve months, and, particularly in the fall of fully 6d, per ounce in the value of silver, a reason for the unfortunate necessity we are under of transferring to profit and loss account the whole reserve fund, in addition to the profits of the year, in order to make provision for writing down exchange and for meeting depreciation on investments in India and in this country. The accounts have been in your hands, and I will go through the ilems which are in the general balance-sheet. The first matter which calls for remark is that of the fixed deposit account. The amount, you will observe, is £1,487,556 and last year at the same time it was about £1,400,000; so in writing down the funds in the East; but carriage of justice. The inquiry will be that the increase is about in round it was very unfortunate that they should confined to Bengal. figures, £80,000. Over £100,000 of those have all the reserve fund go in one fell The hills payable, you will observe, repre- the position, and he trusted they all knew started in India for the purpose of raising sent but a small amount-£89,308. The the worst. He thought it would be well to a memorial to the late Sir Thomas Baker. stance, would take off from that £20,000 to future. With regard to the Founders' with Lord Roberts as president, have in-£25,000. Lust year at the same time the Shares, it appeared that in good times they terested themselves in the matter and amount was £948,000, due to acceptances reaped the benefit, but in bad times they circulars will shortly be issued giving all and various things that we had become res- | did not have to contribute to the losses. ponsible for. Loans and London bankers' acceptances amount to £346,411. These reserve fund, which was now, unfortunately, the exact nature and place of erection of are, of course, borrowings upon securities | wiped out, belonged to the founders under | the memorial will be decided hereafter by H. Cox retire by rotation, but offer held by the bank. Other liabilities, including current transactions in transit with desirable if a fixed rate of exchange could branches, £551,247, are due, in a great | be arranged, and perhaps, now they had got measure, to the fact that in the East we to what could not be considered a high rate close our financial year on Oct. 31, and the (3s. the dollar and is. 42d. the rupes) that Commons last night, Mr Dadabhai Naoroii interbranch operations have to be carried, might be taken as the basis on which ac- gave notice of a resolution that no change on both sides of the account, into entries of counts in the future should be made up, should be made in the Indian currency this nature. They do not represent any - with a provision, however, that if the rate until submitted to the House of Commons. thing that calls for remark. On the assets | were lower than that, out of the profit and The following is the report of the side you will observe Indian Government loss account there should be a contribution Rupes Paper held in London £78,750, is either to a fund to meet depreciation in exgeneral meeting of shareholders of the valued at 63, roughly; to-day's value is 65. change or to a special reserve fund. The Bains, and Charles Lotgard on the question. National Bank of China, Limited, to be Indian Government Paper held in India directors will be most happy to do whatever of exchange. and in transit at current rates, £244,168. Gentlemen, - The Directors have the That is not an investment in the strict pleasure to submit to you the accounts for sense of the term, because it is used for Dawson, as to the lump sum of £25,000 for Trade enquiry into the wreck of the the half year ending December 31st last, purposes of exchange, and is answering the expenses of management, it should not be Roumania has found that the ressal was from which you will observe that for that purpose of bills of exchange. It is simply overlooked that the bank had a great many adequately equipped and manned; but that period there are gross earnings of money in transit, and it is not subject to cetablishments and agencies in different such vessels should carry more European \$85,829.01, or a not profit of \$20,572.82 any speculative change, and is not a specu- parte of the field they operated in. If Cap- quartermasters. The finding also states (inclusive of \$2,052.53 brought forward lative investment whatever. Investments tain Dawson or any other sharehold- that the officers underrated the danger after. from the previous account). It is propos- made in London (£38,718) represent various era desired information as to the ship struck the shore, and that the ed to carry this forward to the next half things in which, as a trust and lean com- details of this sum, the office would wreck was due to a strong landward curpany, we became interested before the insti- be pleased to supply them. To an rent. Although the profits have not yet reach- tution became a bank. The advances other Sharehelder, who asked a quesed a dividend-paying ratio, the result is against accurities are, of course, the tion in respect to the holdings of the board. considered satisfactory as showing the amounts which are in the East. Bills re-

they were last year. We have additional ex- directors, (tlear, hear.)

The Accounts at the Head Office have penses in regard to changes that have occurbeen audited by Mossrs J. H. Cox and red in our staff; also we have opened a intention of the bank to keep to legitimate and expulsion of French subjects. Wm. Hutton Potts, and in London by branch in Caloutta, from which we hope banking business whether there was not an good things. Generally the reuson of the impediment in some quarters to the directors increase in that amount, and probably, if | carrying out their objects. If there was he | for the Waterloo Cup, Mr Cotteroll's dog the extension of business which we antique | would be glad to know if it was their inten- | Character best Mr Baxtor's Buttonpark. pate takes place, that amount will still tion to end that, and be able to avail of the further tend against the bank. Other items opportunities which he thought at present MR E. L. Wakeman, the American journaare interest on fixed deposits, taxes, existed in consequence of the reduced numted to writing down the entire funds to know was whether they could carry on a he says, the American will notice little signs of the bank in the East to the value of 3s. legitimate banking business and operate in at street corners in crowded, narrow 5.000.00 for the dollar and 1s. 43d. for the rapee exchange the same as any other Eastern thoroughfares, in park ways, and at all

amounts to £226,235. You will remember | bank. of 3s.) 2,276,993,34 that I last year said the rate of exchange at which the bank's balance in the East was restriction at the present moment which had taken over was a fraction over 3s. 3d. per dollar-a rate higher than prevailed at the moment, and due to the cost at which our funds were placed in the East; and the same remark might now be made on these rates. which, notwithstanding that so much has been written off, are still too high. The gross receipts of the hank show well; they are £132,994. It is unfortunate that these should bear in mind that we started origi-

Accounts 1,715,332.52 accounts look so bad; but it is nenessary you nally as a trust and loan company, and that 691,438.32 our losses are in connection with exchange. 20.572.82 Its business was chiefly lending money on mortgage and making advances on securities. Total\$4,709,337.00 In carrying out such business, loans on mortgage were made in India Singapore.

and consequents, antil the expiration of the 241,749 99 terms arranged for, nothing could be done to save the money so advanced from the ,uc3,793.61 effects of a depreciation in silver by the earlier conversion of silver funds into ster-34,077.09 ling money. The security we possessed in these mortgages, and also the rates of inte-122,296.94 rest, were quite satisfactory, but the money was subject to the disastrous fall in the ex-

course, when the trust and loan company has

become a bank, no renewals are taking place,

and every effort is being made to bring the entire assets of the bank into a liquid state. so as to confine its operations strictly to banking, and to limit as far as practicable the risks attending long-period obliga-20,572.82 tions. You will have noticed the remark in the report that on some of our Total \$87,881.54 advances in Chius there would be, at the moment, were accounts to be instantly seamen of British ships as workmen. closed, some deficiency. The securities held are interest-bearing, and are improv-

open to doubt. Our paid up capital is, in hitherto been most prosperous.' round figures, £250,000, and the uncalled £1,750,000. The greater part of our dethey possess in the assets and capital of

the bank, continue to give us satisfactory assurances of their confidence. With directors look forward it may be necessary. paid-up capital; but this will only be done business, as their first discussion is to be Ganvin and is now staying at the Grand is the only English Hair Restorer universally if found clearly desirable, and under any eironmstances the amount will not exceed

the disappointments of the last two years | was frankly recognised. to its shareholders a valuable proper- sixty-five votes. I beg. to move, gentlemen: "That

adopted,' (Applause,) Mr Egbert Iveson seconded the motion.

the statement of accounts and balance

but they had only taken £2,600. fixed deposits seemed to average 5 per cent : They will probably include a consideration pay more than I per cent, as a maximum, and the modification advisable in the He thought the directors had acted wirely Criminal Procedure Code to prevent misdeposits are in silver; the balance in gold swoop. Still, it was much better to face figures brought down until to-day, for in- have the funds taken at a fixed rate in and an influential committee of officers.

the articles. It would undoubtedly be the Committee. they oun to meet the views of the shareholders in such a matter. In reply to Captain

and said some shares transferred to him Cleveland has completed the formation of were duted from the office in Princes-street, his Cabinet. the Chairman said the directors, instead of BAD FEELING BETWEEN FRANCE AND SIAM.

The Chairman said they were under a a trust and loan company, when it was thought that exchange operations would be injurious to the general interests. that business we have abstained and confined our exchange operations to India. Circumstances have since changed, and he did not suppose when representation was made in the proper quarter that they would by their brother bankers. The resolution for the adoption of the

report and accounts was then put, and carried nannimously. Mr H. D. Stewart proposed

re-election of the retiring directors (Mr Wm. Keswick and Mr F. D. Sussoon) : Mr Iveson seconded, and the motion was Queen, but her niece, her father, Archibald

The ruditors (Messra Turquand, Youngs, and Co.) were re-elected, on the motion of Mr Hanbury. The proceedings then closed with a vote of thanks to the chairman, moved by Mr Worley, which was carried unanimously.

NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

PROCEEDINGS IN PARLIAMENT. Lundon, February 21. - In the House of warm affection. They describe her as re-Commons last night, a debate took place markably intelligent in her school work, and on the second reading of Mr Asquith's quick to grasp the meaning of any new Employers' Liability Bill, which abolishes lesson. Bright, merry and active, she was the doctring of common employment and fond of lawn tennis and quite unusually skilprohibits workmen from contracting to re- ful in croquet, which it seems is the favoulinguish their statutory rights and classes i rite game in Hawaii. But she is not now, as

THE CURRENCY QUESTION. ing in value, and I would mention, as body of the local merchants and bankers Princess is tall-five feet seven inches in 85,829.01 accounting for the disappearance of the have sent a memorial to the Private So- height; and though her eyes and hair are margin at one time possessed, that the ab- cretary to the Viceroy dissenting from the dark, she has beautifully white hands. As sconding of the compradors of the largest views of the Currency Association. They to her complexion generally, the might banking institution in the East had a most | say :- 'As practical experienced business | easily be tmistaken for a girl of pure Eurodepressing effect on all securities, and that men, we do not hold with the assertion of pean descent. It has always been deemed it is to the influence, indirectly, of this the President of the Currency Association advisable, for political reasons, to keep her event that our managers attribute what that the fall in silver has restricted and exact abode a secret. they term the undue depreciation of the embarrassed the trade of the country to securities in their hands, but on which they | such an extent as to create an almost undo not expect there will be any loss. The paralleled state of depression, 'We begross earnings of the year are, in round lieve that the causes of the depression. figures, £133,000, and the net profit is such as it is, are to be found elsewhere. £34,840; and both, I think you will agree On the other hand we desire to make with me, indicate satisfactorily the carning known that we are not insensible to the BAROMETER- 9 A.M 30.24 power of the bank in a year that has embarrassment of the Government as rewith the Books, Cash, and Securities at the abounded in difficulties. Un'er ordinary gards the present state of its finances or circumstances and favourable conditions wanting in sympathy for the employes of there is no reason to doubt the power of the the Government who have suffered by the bank to realise the expectations of its share- | recent fall in exchange, but we submit that holders, and to satisfactorily fill the place in order to make these matters right it does in Eastern banking that is open to it. In not appear to de to be necessary or desir-India, where the scope of its operations is able for the Government to resort to the lieve will be of considerable advantage to and commercial system of the country is the bank. The strength of the bank is not founded and under which the country has

> THE LANGABHIRE COTTON CRISIS. London, February 22.-The Luncashire posits is for long periods, the amounts are Cotton Masters have declined the proposals cent, reduction of wages. THE ECYPTIAN EXCITEMENT AT AN END.

> London, February 22. - The latest advices. state that the excitoment in Egypt has now the extension of business to which the subsided, and that the relations between the Khedive and Lord Cromer are excellent. somewhat later in the year, to increase the FRANCE AND THE MEXONG RIVER-ALLEGED

BRITISH AGGRESSION. Paris. February 22. - An article from the pen of Prince Henry of Orleans has appear-

of which due notice will be given. I have nose affirms the rights of the French to the

Berlin, February 22 .- A debate took to judge what are the present position and place yesterday in the Reichstag regarding the future prapacts of the bank, I would the commercial treaty between Germany only further may that we are not to expect and Egypt, in the course of which the exthat always the depression, the gloom, and collecte of British administration in Egypt

are to abide with us and for ever paralyse | A BY-ELECTION, CONSERVATIVE VICTORY, trade, which otherwise should be healthy. London, February 23 .- Mr Whiteley, the The normal conditions of commerce and of | Conservative candidate, has been elected finance will again return, and I believe for Stockport, defeating Major Hume, the this bank will then prosper, and prove Liberal, by a majority of four hundred and

THE JURY COMMISSION. Allahabad, Feb. 23.—The Secretary of sheet and the report of the directors and State has signified his approval of the list auditors thereon be, and are hereby, of members proposed by the Vicercy for the Jury Commission. The Commission will be composed of Justice Prinsep, Sir Mr Worley asked what was the amount of Jotendro Mohun Tagore, Sir Romesh Chunder Mitter, Sir Griffith Evans and Mr The Chairman said the articles of associa. | C. A. Wilkins, O.S., Mr Prinsep being tion entitled the directors to £3,000 per president, Mr C. Streatfield, Under Secreannum and a contingent amount on profits, | tary to the Bengal Government, will be Secretary to the Commission. The terms Mr Worley said the amount charged on of reference are still under discussion. but he did not think they could afford to of the classes of offences triable by jury

THE LATE SIR THOMAS BAKER. Allahabad, Feb. 23,-A fund is being the necessary information. The subscrip-The Chairman remarked that half of the tions will be limited to Rs. 20 each and

THE BLACK MAN' AND THE INDIAN

London, February 23. - In the flouse of LORD HERSCHELL'S COMMITTEE.

London, February 23.-Lord Herschell's Committee has examined Mesars Bliss.

THE 'BOUMANIA' ENQUIEY. London, February 23.—The Board of

THE AMERICAN CARINET. Washington, February 22.—President

London, February 23 .- The Standard with a revival of trade, the Bank will be in with the deposits received. Turning to the them, The bank at times had instructions states, in a telegram from Bangkok, that a favourable position to reap the sevantage, profit and loss account, the first item is the to sell shares but it did not follow that be- there is a growing irritation between the cause they were dated from the office they French and Siamese, and that the French that their individual support will assist the These expenses are, of course, greater than had belonged to any officer or any of the Consul has been compelled to leave Bangkok; furthermore that the French Minister Mr W. Adamson said with regard to the has demanded reparation for the ill-usage THE WATERLOD CUP.

London, Feb. 24.-In the contring match

and so on. The amount appropriation ber of banks in the East. What he wanted telling some of his experiences, In London, sudden turnings traversed by vehicles, reading, 'Keep to the Left.' This at first worried him; he wanted to understand it, and. been entered into when the institution was like a true American, perhaps to protest about it a little. 'One day, 'he continues. 'I approached a London policeman with the carnest inquiry, " Beg pardon, officer, but might I ask why, in London, everything goes 'To the Left?'' Like one of Mrs. Jarley's figures, his head moved stately. He regarded me one awful official moment with contemptuous pity. His head moved not be received otherwise than satisfactorily back again. Then, with withering scorn, he answered, "An' w'y the dickins shouldn't it?' I never thought of that.'

Many perfectly erroneous statements

lately been made, it appears. have about the Princess Victoria of Hawaii. She is not the daughter of the doposed Scott Cleghorn, having married the Queen's sister. Nor is her father, as described, a Scotch-American, but purely Scotch. The misohievous propensities' of the Princess. in her yearly schooldays are a pure myth. In fact, her early education was under governesses, and she was fifteen when she first went to the school in the Midlands, of which mention has been made. There she always behaved with perfect propriety. showed heree'f to be a high-principled girl. and was peculiarly amenable to the guidance of her mistresses, who speak of her with was stated, at the Midland school. She is living in a private family, and completing Cale tta, February 22.- A considerable her education with the aid of masters. The

Temperature. HONGKONG, March 11, 1893. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) 1 r.M.... SO.17 THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 4 P.Mane (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 58 1 F.M. 57 Da. 4 P.M. Do. Maximum ... Do. Minimum over night 59

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Highest open air temperature on the 10th..... 62 Lowest open air temperature on the 10:h.... 5 Hougkong Observatory, March 11, 1893.

PICTORIAL TELEGRAPHY. Mr Francis Galton, F.R.S., delivered recently an interesting lecture before a large audience at the Royal Institution, Albemaria-atreet, entitled, 'The Just Per- Minster, to see the venerable charch there, coptible Difference. In the course of his which is a thousand years old. I entered the address the lecturer explained some ex- churchyard and seated myself upon a nameless periments he had been making on the grave while he went in search of somebody to subject of pictorial telegraphy. Her had unlock the doors of the edifice and show its experimented with the profile of a Greek wonders. In a few minutes he returned in comgirl, and found, by a form of letters pany with an olderly lady, to whom he introand dots, this picture could be telegraphed duced me, saying she was the custodian and from America for £8. For this purpose he guide of the place. I gazed at her face for some had taken a paper fac-simile of a mariner's moments without a word. If my own mother, compass, using only the elternate points; to her only son, I should scarcely have been against each of the sixteen points he p'aced more astenished. For this woman was almost a letter running from A to P. With these my mether's double; the same size, the same almost any number of outlines could be face, and the same way of parting the hair and formed, and when the letters had been combing it in smooth bands from the forehead. transmitted the only thing to be done to I told her so, and we were friends before either reproduce the picture was to take the paper fairly knew the other's name. What a queer compass, which he called the protractor, world it is. hold it against a piece of paper, and prick dots against the letters. He had also been able to produce a map of England by this method. Of course the whole thirty-two points of the compass could be used, giving scope for more complicated drawings. Dots did not give continuous lines, but when the dots were small the difference was well of her detailed and accurate information. very slight. For instance, 300 dots to the | Finally the talk veered round to the wholeinch appeared to the naked eye as a con- someness of the vicinity, the bracing nature of tinuous line at a distance of only a foot. its sea breezes and so on. Then our guide, Mrs Canada are good for transporation to the Freight, apply to There was just the perceptible difference of | Sarah Herd said :_ I have lived here in Minster | Missouri River, by the CENTRAL & UNION optical continuity, and his experiments of my sons is now in America, where he is doing souri River, passengers have the choice of showed that this slight difference had given showed that this alight difference had given us a new power that had practicable bearings; for undoubtedly it would be found of great use to be able to transmit pictorial descriptions of events in distant parts of the world by telegraph,

MORE ABOUT PAPER MONEY AND DISEASE GERMS. A Bill has recently been presented in

Congress requiring the Secretary of the ragged, worn, and soiled paper-money; new bills to be furnished in place of the old and unclean notes. It is surprising, when one thinks of it, that some such action has not long ago been taken; for not a little of the paper-money daily passing from hand to hand has become extremely repulsive in appearance, and is ever sugges. tive of disease-spreading power.

periment by the ablest biologists, and exercise is always a sign of a debilitated condialthough our knowledge is still largely tion of the system. speculative, much is known about the way in which such germs are 'borne about poverished, the kidneys working badly, and that and deposited in soils suitable for their the body lacks nourishment and is living feebly growth and reproduction.' That they are on what was previously stored in it. In other present in the atmosphere of a sickroom, carried on particles of dust, and with them attached to the walls of the room, to carpets, to the clothing of the passers-in and passers-out, and, indeed, to every ab- eure myself with various domestic remedies sorbent surface; that they are thereafter which sometimes answer. But they failed, and dispatched on fatal errands by the house- I consulted a physician. With all respect to the maid's broom and dusting-cloth; that they dectors, they occasionally failed too. This one and their encrusted spores, or seed, ore did. You know there comes a time in all long capable of lying in what may be termed a librernes when we get in some way used to pain dormant condition, certainly for months, on and misery, and make no further efforts to get any surface that catches and detains them, rid of it. In fact, we don't know how, and so unaffected by a brush or a current of air, don't try. For about three years I remained and dropped in a substance that affords wretched and ailing, and dull unhappy years they them noarishment, they multiply with incalculable rapidity.' These are facts that but to bear them as patiently as I could. At have been thoroughly demonstrated. That this date, 1881, certain friends of mine spoke to such germs may, and in thousands of cases me of the great benefit they had received from doubtless do, become attached to the fibres the use of Mother Seigel's Syrap, for indigestion of worn and soiled bank-notes, that they and dyspepsia. This threw light on my mind, may in tact, in some instances, constitute although I cannot say it made me at once a bethe very matter which gives them their liever in Seigel's Syrup. At length, however, in unclean and repulsive appearance, is a July 1881, I began to take it. In all I used six proposition which cannot be denied. - Scienti- bottles, and found my health fully restored. Ten

American.

HATFIELD HOUSE AT CHICAGO Hatfield House is so complete and bean- few moments at Mrs Herd's home, 2, ligh so illustration of late Elizabethan Street, Minster, Kent, and then wended our way PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. gage can do so on application at the Countries of late Elizabethan Street, Minster, Kent, and then wended our way architecture, that everybody naturally back to Ramsgate. chooses it as the most characteristic exemplar of the best period of English house-building. There is no more olugant and graceful, no more spacious and stately palace of its period, and certainly there are few houses anywhere that can be compared to it in comfort. It possesses, too, the unique combination of advantages incident to a great country seat which stands in what is almost a suburb of London. From the purely architectural and artistic points of view, Hatfield contains two features which, common enough to great Elizabeth. an houses, here reach their most splendid development-a Long Gallery and a Murble Hall. The Hatfield Gallery is 163 ft. ordinary and extreme duration of life and the long; but the Marble Hall is, in its way, physical aspect of the problem involves the coneven more striking, although its dimensions | templation of the great natural phases of deveare, of course, very much smaller 50 it language of the species, digestion, period of 1 y 30 ft. In casting about for a thoroughly growth and length of life. appropriate exhibit to send to the Chicago World's Fair, Messre Hampton and Sons ing voice of nature, signs of approaching calamity had therefore a happy inspiration whon are unkeeded, the disorganization of the affected they decided to produce a complete replica of this beautiful apartment, with all its deluded into the belief that he has shaken off famous wood carving. Lord Salisbury's the disease; nothing could be more erroneous or nation of the world. 'Ease and pleasure quake to hear of death,' said the founder of Hatfield on his death-bad, ' but my life, full of cares and miseries, desireth to be dissolved.'-St. Jumes's Cazette.

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coin, England. To the Dear,-Rerbert Clifton's new system of completely curing all forms of Deafness, Head Noises, &c., is being recommended all over the world. Numerous unsolicited textimonials. Thomas Richards, Esq., of 4, Dawlish Street, South Lambeth, S.W., writes (after being a sufferer for 13 years):- I have had my quickly drives away Eruptions, Pimples, Blotexpectations amply fulfilled, as I am now able to ches, Redness, Eczema, Acne, Distigurements, hear quite well, and without the least effort, and Roughness and Scarf, &c., leaving a clear, spotthe terrible noises in head have not appeared less Skin and beautiful Complexies. Sulpholine again.' Pamphlet with full advice post free, is a necessity for the Skin, especially in hot H. Clifton, 51, Upper Kennington Lone, Lon- climates. Made in London. Sold everywhere den, 8.K.

REMINDED OF HIS DEAD MOTHER [EXTRACT PHOM A PRIVATE LETTER.]

It was the latter part of August 1891. A friend and I had come down from Ramsgale to

She then conducted us through the ancient fune, and spoke of the long vanished past, of the monks and muss who once sang and prayed within its walls, of the quaint carvings on the hard oak seats in the chancel, of that precious relio, the Cranmer Bible, which repeses in a glass box against a pillar, and of many matters besides, drawn from the apparently exhaustless

well. He wants me to leave England and make my home with him, but I doubt if I ever shall. I am somewhat like that old yew tree out in the yard, deeply rooted to this soil, and migh! he the worse for pulling up. Then I am getting on in life, and illa grow apace with age, in the obtained on application. spring of 1878 I had a serious attack. At first I scarcely knew what to make of it. There was no disease that I recognised in particular. | belt tired in body and weary in mind. There was much pain at my chest and back, and a kind of tightness at the sides, as though physical force their families. Treasury to provide for the calling in of all were applied there to restrain me from moving. My appetite, which was usually good, fell away and whatever I ate or drank gave me pain, and lived almost entirely on bread and water. I was always in pain and couldn't sleep so as to feel refreshed by it. After a time I grew so weak as to be unable to go about my work. A

bitter and sickening fluid arose into my month, and I perspired to such an extent that the sweat | pany's and connecting Steamore. sometimes rolled off my face to the floor.' I .the writer) break in upon Mrs Berd's story The origin of disease-germs has been the at this point merely to say that this tendency to subject of elaborate investigation and ex- sweat without the provocation of labour or of

> It means that the blood is impure and imother organs are in sympathy with it. Now we will let the lady proceed, begging pardon for the Francisco.

She went on to say :- For a time I tried to

to put my hand on the remedy." Our visit being virtually over, we called for a

New York, October, 1891.

WHY IS IT? Why is it that death should come before the albetted age of 'three score and ten,' and why | above places. so many millions of buman beings never live to three score and five, and why that not one in every thousand live to three score years? We kill ourselves. Many interesting particulars are found in tables of physiologists and writers un bygiene. The eminent physiologists, Haller and Buffon, present interesting particulars on the subject of longevity. They treat it in two ways, historical and physical. The historical side the recitation of all facts known of the naturally

Mankind pays too little attention to the warnsible, then no pain is felt and the sufferer is permission was freely given; and the work dangerous, for the complaint has only passed on produced by Mesars Hampton, so far as one further stage towards the end, and nature may be judged from the separate portions | ceases to send those warning wahes and pains as of it which are now being displayed upon they were unnoticed when sent, the debility and their premises in Pall-mail East, is weakness increases however, and nervousness, thoroughly successful. Inability to obtain loss of appetite, and general langour comes on a stand in the Exhibition large enough for and a cold is caught in the kidneys, lungs or the display of the Marble Hail - so called liver and another life is sacrificed to Bright's SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, N.B. -Cargo canbe taken on through Bills from its floor of squares of alternate black futal disease. Scoffers can talk as they like at and white marble—has compelled Mesers the virtues claimed for Clements' Tonic, hat oven Hamoton to make their reproduction upon the most prejudiced men know it is germine and a slightly smaller scale; but the result is does possess merits so other medicine ever did. by no means adversely affected. The as instanced in the following case. 'For the richly-carved minstrel gallery, the chastely- past four years I have been a great sufferer from fluted doors, the adornments of the stately severe pains in the back and left side, being at of practically the same has as the original, about. I suffered in this way until it became The mechanical excellence of the work is quite unbearable, and in February, 1889, I convery striking, while its reproduction to sulted a physician who treated me for seventeen scale is a sufficient guaranty for minute months, and during that time I suffered the accuracy. It is an exceedingly artistic of improving continued to get worse; he said at piece of work, and in its way a patriotic, last, 'I have done all I can and you will never since every Englishman who has any be better. This drove me to despair and I knowledge or conception of the beauties of | went under another dector's treatment for four Hatfield must feel proud of the splendid months and took about 50 bottles of medicine house conceived and executed-for he was but with no result. I was giving up all hopes his own architect-by the son of the great when I read of the wonderful cures effected by Lord Burleigh, who died worn out by the Clements' Tonic and on my hosband's advice I heavy cares of making England the first tried it, and after the use of only three bottles ! was quite a different woman. I have taken 15 hottles and feel as well and strong as ever and THROUGH TICKETS issued passengers often suffered with Neuralgia for weeks at a time and could never get any relief, but since

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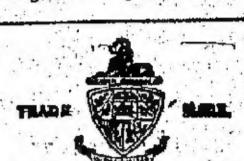
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